

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

An apparatus for dispensing particulate material includes first (1) and second (10) hoppers in flow connection, with means (4) for restricting flow between the hoppers and (1, 10) and means (19) for recycling selected amounts of particulate material. In various aspects, the flow from the first hopper is adjusted to obtain a desired size range of material, a restrictor means (4) restricts particulate flow and the means for recycling (19) is replaced by a reservoir (20).